SAGAR FOREST DIVISION.

Abstract Notification dated 5th July 1938.

The attention of the public is invited to the detailed Sale Notification of the sale of Honge leaves and seeds for the years 1938-40 of this Division, published on page 1156 of Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 14th July 1938.

Abstract Notification dated 6th July 1938.

The attention of the public is invited to the detailed Notification of the sale of the right of collecting daily grazing fees at Hulikal gate for 1938-40 of this Division, published on pages 1156-1158, Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 14th July 1938.

Abstract Notification dated 4th July 1938.

The attention of the public is invited to the detailed Notification dated 4th July 1938, published on pages 1199 and 1200, Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 14th July 1938, calling for tenders for preparation and supply of sleepers from Hulikal Forest to Anandapuram Depot during the year 1938-39.

Last date for receiving Tenders is 8th August 1938.

Abstract Notification dated 4th July 1938.

The attention of the public is invited to the detailed Notification dated 4th July 1938, published on pages 1200 and 1201 of Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 14th July 1938, calling for tenders for cutting and carting of Balagi poles from Hulikal, etc. Forests of Nagar Range, to Anandapuram Depot or Wood Preservation Plant, Bhadravathi, during the year 1938-39.

Last date for receiving Tenders is 30th July 1938.

Notification dated 22nd July 1938.

SALE OF TIMBER.

It is notified for general information that the undermentioned kinds and quantities of timber will be re-sold by public auction at the risk of the original purchasers under the following conditions at the following depots on the dates noted against the same :—

Name of Depot	Date of sale	Teak logs	Beete	Honne	Nandi	Hebbahalsu	Hebbahalsu sawn	Kaihalsu	Other kinds	Remarks
		C.ft.	C.ft.	C.ft.	C.ft.	C.ft.	C.ft.	C.ft.	C.ft.	
Shikarpur ..	22-8-38	111	..	..	218	..	..	..	99	The sale will be conducted by the District Forest Officer, Sagar Division, or any other officer deputed by him.
Kumsi ..	26-8-38	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	73	The sale will commence at 3 P.M. and if the sale is not closed on the sale date, the same will be continued the next morning.

N.B.—Quantities noted are only approximate.

Conditions.

1. Each bidder shall place a deposit of Rs. 200 with the officer conducting the sale. But defaulters to the department will not be allowed to bid at the sales.

In the case of purchasers of timber not exceeding Rs. 200 in value, this deposit will not be insisted upon, provided that the full purchase money is paid in cash on the spot.

2. Any person bidding at the sale may be required by the officer conducting the sale to state whether he is bidding on his own behalf or as an agent, and in the latter case, to produce a written authority duly signed by the principal.

3. The highest bidder shall ordinarily be the purchaser, but the officer conducting the sale can reject any bid or stop the sale at any stage without assigning any reason to the intending purchasers.

4. Immediately after the lot is knocked down to him, the successful bidder shall sign his name opposite the number and specification of the lot bought by him in a book provided for the purpose. Such signature shall be held as admission on his part of having bought such lot and of having accepted the terms of the sale as herein specified. The sale is subject to the confirmation of the Conservator of Forests, if the amount exceeds Rs. 1,000 and to that of the District Forest Officer in other cases.

5. After conclusion of the sale, each purchaser shall pay 10 per cent of the amount in cash to the officer conducting the sale and obtain in return from him a receipt vouching for the payment of the one-tenth value as well as the initial deposit of Rs. 200. Should any purchaser fail to comply with this rule, the initial deposit of Rs. 200 shall at once be forfeited to Government and the officer conducting the sale shall be at liberty to re-sell the timber purchased by such defaulter who shall be required to make good any loss, but shall not participate in any profit from such re-sale. The amount due by such defaulter on account of loss from re-sale shall be recovered from him as a revenue demand under Section 79 of the Mysore Forest Act. In calculating such losses, the initial deposit forfeited to Government shall not be taken into account.

In cases of resales for default of payment of value where no bidders are forthcoming, it will be open to the District Forest Officer to fix such price as may appear to him to be reasonable, and to proceed for the recovery from the defaulter of the balance, if any, after deducting the price so fixed from the original sale amount. A registered notice should be issued to the defaulter, intimating the price fixed by the District Forest Officer for the unsold wood, and the amount still due from him which will be recovered as arrears of land revenue.

6. The deposits tendered by the unsuccessful bidders shall be returned immediately after the sales are concluded, those of the successful bidders being lodged in the Savings Bank as security deposit.

7. The full value of all timber purchased shall be paid for within 30 days after the date of sale or within 15 days after the date of notice of confirmation of the sale, whichever is later. The moneys shall be paid into such treasury as the District Forest Officer may direct, within the time specified.

8. If the amount is not fully paid for by the purchaser before the dates fixed above, the initial deposit as well as the other moneys already paid in shall be forfeited to Government and all or any portion of the timber not fully paid for shall be re-sold at the risk of the purchaser in the manner prescribed for default of payment of one-tenth value in clause 5 *supra*.

9. No timber lot shall be permitted to be removed by the purchaser unless it has been paid for in full, calculated at the rates at which the timber is knocked down to him at the time of sale, including the 10 per cent deposit paid for the lot at the time of the sale; and no timber shall be removed from the depot unless a permit is obtained from the Forest Officer in charge of the depot. The earnest money will not be adjusted towards the value of timber until 90 per cent of the purchase money over and above the security deposit has been paid.

10. Timber purchased should be removed as early as possible, and in no case should it be allowed to remain longer than 90 days after 15th May 1939. Timber not removed after purchase will remain in the depot at the risk of the purchaser from the date of the confirmation of the sale.

11. If the timber is not removed within the time allowed, the same may, after ten days' notice to the purchaser, be sold in public auction and the proceeds will be given to the purchaser after defraying all the expenses in connection with the resale.

12. The deposit of Rs. 200 will remain as security for the due fulfilment of all and every one of the terms of sale, for the breach of any of which by the purchaser, the District Forest Officer shall be entitled to forfeit the deposit in whole or in part and in the event of such forfeiture, the sum so forfeited shall be immediately made good by the purchaser so long as the transaction is not finally closed. The security deposit or the balance thereof, if any, shall be returned to the purchaser after the full value of timber purchased has been paid for and the timber fully removed.

13. Interest will be charged on all belated payments at 6¼ per cent per annum from the date of their falling due up to the date of payment.

D. NARASIMHAMURTHI RAO,
District Forest Officer.

KADUR FOREST DIVISION.

Abstract Notification dated 9th July 1938.

The attention of the public is invited to the detailed Notification regarding the sale of the following kinds and quantities of timber at Kadur Depot to be held on 4th August 1938, published on pages 1159 and 1160, Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 14th July 1938.

Kind	*Quantity*	
Mathi	2,000 C.ft. ..	More or less.
Honne	1,500 „ ..	
Other kinds	500 „ ..	
Bite	297 „	(Shipment quality.)

Abstract Notification dated 11th July 1938.

The attention of the public is invited to the detailed Notification regarding the sale of the right of collecting and removing the Honge seeds and leaves in all the State Forests, Amrit Mahal Kavals and Reserved lands of the several Taluks in the Kadur Division for 1938-40 to be held on 12th August 1938, published on pages 1160-1162, Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 14th July 1938.

Abstract Notification dated 12th July 1938.

The attention of the public is invited to the detailed notification as noted below printed on pages 1208-1209, Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 21st July 1938.

	Date of receiving tenders.
1. Notification calling for tenders for carting timber from Forests to several Depots during the year 1938-39	15th August 1938.
2. Notification calling for tenders for carting of prepared sandalwood from Chikmagalur Koti to Kadur Railway Station during 1938-39.	Do.

M. A. MUTHANNA,
District Forest Officer.

ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT

BUILDINGS DIVISION, BANGALORE.

Notification dated 21st—22nd July 1938.

Notice is hereby given that sealed tenders will be received at the Office of the Executive Engineer, Buildings Division, up to 8th August 1938 (2 P.M.) for constructing new slip house in the Government Porcelain Factory, Malleswaram, Bangalore. An approximate estimate of quantities is given below. These quantities are not guaranteed. The work should be completed by the end of December 1938.

2. The plans, detailed estimate and conditions may be seen at the Executive Engineer's Office at Bangalore, between the hours of 11 A.M. and 5 P.M.

3. Tenders should be submitted on printed forms which may be obtained from the Executive Engineer. The tenders should be accompanied by a statement in the form given below, showing the rates at which the different items specified will be executed.

4. Each tender must be accompanied by a deposit of Rupees 1,100 (one thousand and one-hundred only, in cash or Government Promissory Notes, as earnest money, and be superscribed "Tender for constructing new slip house in the Government Porcelain Factory, Malleswaram, Bangalore," in default of which tenders will be rejected.

5. The final acceptance of any tender will rest with the Superintending Engineer, who does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any tender or to assign any reason whatever for the rejection of any tender.

6. Within eight days of the acceptance of the tender, the successful competitor will be required to execute the usual contract bond, in default of which his tender will be considered cancelled and his earnest money will be forfeited.

7. The name of the successful competitor, whose tender has been accepted, will be posted on the Notice Board in the Executive Engineer's Office, in due course. No enquiry regarding the acceptance or rejection of a tender will receive any reply.

8. On acceptance of one of the tenders, the earnest money on rejected tenders will be returned.

9. Rates once tendered will not be enhanced on any account.

10. Rates for non-tendered and non-estimated items shall be as per schedule rates of the department or those fixed by the Executive Engineer after working out data with not more than 10 per cent for contractor's profit.

11. In all matters not specifically provided for and in all matters of dispute about rates, quantities, measurements, quality of works, etc., and in all disputes of any kind, the decision of the Executive Engineer will be final and legally binding.

12. Quotations must be given in words as well as in figures and they must be in specific term of unit shown against each item of work. Any quotation quoted at so much percentage less or more than estimated rate will not be accepted.

13. Transfer of works to third parties by selected contractor will not be countenanced by the department and in the case of any such attempt the earnest money is liable to be forfeited at the discretion of the Superintending Engineer.